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scoury, pimples, spots, blotches, pains and swelling  
of joints, gout, rheumatism, & all diseases for which  
it has been too much a fashion to employ mercury,  
sarsaparilla, etc., to the destruction of sufferers' teeth  
and ruin of health. This preparation purifies the  
whole system through the blood, and thoroughly  
eliminates all poisonous matter from the body.  
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surprising power in restoring strength and vigor to  
those suffering from the enervating influences of  
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appears on the British Government Stamp (in  
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genuine package by order of His Majesty's Hon.  
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## PALOLO FOR THE ASYLUM

**Board of Health Records  
Its Preference  
Therefor.**

Although at the regular weekly  
time the Board of Health session  
yesterday was of a special nature. Noth-  
ing was done beyond the consideration  
of a site for the new insane asylum.  
It ended in a recommendation to the  
Public Works department of the Pa-  
lolo valley public land which had been  
visited by Governor Dole and other  
officials.

Dr. C. B. Cooper, president; Fred C.  
Smith, Dr. W. H. Mays and E. C. Win-  
ston formed a quorum. F. W. Beards-  
lee architect was present in consul-  
tation.

Mr. Beardslee gave a number of rea-  
sons for preferring the Palolo to the  
Waiwala location. A good road from  
Honolulu, an assurance of water and a  
sequestered situation were mentioned.

Dr. Cooper spoke of the advantage  
of the Palolo lands as belonging to  
the government avoiding the necessity  
of any exchange or negotiating for  
land.

Mr. Winston had not seen the Palolo  
ground nor Mr. Smith the site con-  
sidered at Waiwala. Mr. Winston was  
willing to act upon the recommenda-  
tions of Palolo he had heard.

Dr. Cooper while suggesting that  
another week might be taken to allow  
all of the members to obtain full  
knowledge of the question, yet thought  
the matter ought to be settled while  
Governor Dole and Superintendent of  
Public Works Cooper were in office.  
Those gentlemen had evinced most  
lively interest in the matter and if it  
were left over to new executive officials  
the whole thing would have to be talk-  
ed over again. For his part he would  
go down the railway for the site if  
assured of finding the same advantages  
there which Palolo possessed. It was  
a considerable advantage of Palolo to  
be connected with town by a good ma-  
cadamized road, making a drive of  
but forty minutes from the postoffice.

Mr. Smith thought the question could  
be settled right there, being confident  
that Palolo was the unanimous prefer-  
ence of the Board. His views pre-  
vailed, a motion being carried to rec-  
ommend the Palolo valley site to the  
Government.

Dr. Cooper thought the entire tract  
of 700 acres should be made a reserva-  
tion to the asylum. It was the in-  
tention to raise taro for the provision  
supply, together with other farm prod-  
ucts making the institution as far as  
possible self-sustaining.

**FOOLED THE  
LEGISLATURE**

"What's the matter with Maui?" in-  
quired a Republican member of the  
Legislature yesterday. "During the  
legislative session Maui begged and  
pleaded for big appropriations, espe-  
cially in the Public Works department,  
and they were given. It was said by  
Mauians that with big appropriations  
the island would roll up a Republican  
majority at the county election."  
"Well, just look at the Republican ma-  
jority."

Good Advice: A venerable professor  
of a noted medical college was address-  
ing the graduating class.

"Gentlemen," he said, "you are going  
into the world of action. You will  
likely follow in some degree the ex-  
ample of those who have preceded you.  
Among other things you may marry.  
Let me entreat you to be kind to your  
wives. Be patient with them. Do not  
fret under petty domestic trials. When  
one of you asks your wife to go driv-  
ing, do not worry if she is not ready  
at the appointed time. Have a treatise  
on your specialty always with you.  
Read it while you wait, and I assure  
you, gentlemen," and the profes-  
sor's kindly smile seemed to show  
a trace of irony, "you will be aston-  
ished at the vast amount of informa-  
tion you will acquire in this way."  
—Tid-Bits.

**Hawaiian Bonds to New York.**

F. H. Howland of the United States  
Mortgage and Trust Company left on  
the Korea yesterday in charge of Ha-  
waii's million dollars' worth of bonds.  
These are in the steamer's strong box  
and will be given to another repre-  
sentative of the company for overland trans-  
portation on Howland's arrival in San  
Francisco.

"It is her proud boast that she has  
never heard an opera in her life." "You  
must be mistaken. She isn't a Puritan  
at all, but quite a gay society girl."  
"That's just it. She never goes to the  
opera except as one of a box-party."  
—Philadelphia Press.

**A SURE CURE FOR COUGH.**—The  
first indication of cough is hoarseness,  
and in a child subject to that disease  
it may be taken as a sure sign of the  
approach of an attack. Following this  
hoarseness is a peculiar rough  
cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy  
is given as soon as the child be-  
comes hoarse, or even after the cough  
appears, it will prevent the attack.  
It is used in many thousands of  
homes in this broad land and never  
disappoints the anxious mothers. We  
have yet to learn of a single instance  
in which it has not proved effectual.  
No other preparation can show such  
a record—over thirty years' constant  
use without a failure. For sale by all  
dealers and druggists. Benson, Smith  
& Co., Ltd., Agents for Hawaii.

## SEAS MADE RUIN ON THE THOMAS

With her after works smashed and  
wrecked where a monster sea was  
shipped four days after leaving Naga-  
saki, the army transport Thomas  
came into port yesterday morning, sev-  
enteen days out from the Japanese  
port. The transport departed for  
San Francisco at 5:30 p. m. yesterday.  
The Thomas left Manila on October  
1, coaling at Nagasaki and leaving  
there for Honolulu October 17. The  
vessel is a 12-knot boat but after  
leaving Japan bad weather prevailed  
steadily cutting down her speed. On  
October 25, the transport fell in with  
a hurricane. On that night the hur-  
ricane blew head-on and the vessel  
reeled in the cross seas, while the oc-  
cupants held on to whatever was  
available to keep their footing. Owing  
to the transport traveling without  
cargo, she stood high out of the water,  
causing her to rock frightfully. Occa-  
sionally a sea would fall with a tre-  
mendous shock on the decks. At 11  
o'clock as the vessel heeled over to  
starboard a terrific shock shook the  
boat from stem to stern. A sea had  
crashed over the cutwater aft, smash-  
ing and demolishing everything in its  
sweep. The entire after deck house  
was crushed in like an eggshell, the  
starboard lavatory being broken,  
twisted and torn out completely, leav-  
ing only ends of water pipes protrud-  
ing. The side of the deck house was  
ripped out and iron stanchions were  
bent like straws, and all the wreckage  
went overboard. A second sea fol-  
lowed and completed the ruin. It  
caught the steam launches which rested  
on the roof of the deck house, over-  
turning the heavy boats, tearing open  
the hulls, and twisting their super-  
structures. The galley smokestack  
was added to the wreckage. A third  
sea mounted the after deck pounding  
with equal force in the same locality.  
The weakened supports gave way un-  
der the launches and they fell to the  
deck house roof crushing in the tim-  
bers. Three life boats were torn out  
of the davits and a fourth was washed  
away. The wreckage was cleared;  
the saloon was also flooded adding to  
the discomfort of the passengers. One  
man had his leg broken during the  
storm, and others suffered minor  
bruises. A fireman was buried by  
coal in one of the bunkers but es-  
caped injury.

The transport carries Troops C and  
H of the Fifteenth Cavalry, 114 men,  
100 casualties, 9 civilians, 33 prisoners, 38  
discharged soldiers. There are 94 cab-  
in passengers. Among the latter are  
Lt. Col. H. O. S. Helstend, Adjutant-  
General's department, who was the  
United States military attaché in the  
suite of President Dole when he vis-  
ited Washington in 1898. Major Fre-  
mont, son of the "Pathfinder," was  
also a passenger. Major Otto von  
Etzel, German military attaché of the  
Legation at Washington, was also a  
passenger, finishing a world tour.

The transport sailed at 5:30 p. m.  
yesterday for San Francisco.

Judge Estee's effects were carried  
to San Francisco on the Thomas.  
About fifteen minutes before the  
transport pulled away from the dock,  
a carriage, occupied by a woman and  
a man, the latter, connected with the  
ship's personnel, arrived at the gan-  
gway. When the woman stepped upon  
the wharf she staggered and fell for-  
ward to the dock. She was picked  
up by her companion and assisted up  
the gangway. Both were intoxicated.

**Adachi to Be Extradited.**

A charge of perjury was preferred  
before United States Commissioner  
Douthitt yesterday against Saburo  
Adachi who is badly wanted by District  
Attorney Breckons and Marshal Hen-  
dry in connection with the recent ex-  
ploitation of Japanese slave owners.

Adachi is said to have got away on  
the Siberia for Japan, very unexpectedly  
and the charge of perjury, being an of-  
fense brought with a view of bringing  
this important witness back. The cab-  
le will intercept Adachi's further  
progress at Yokohama.

None On Hand: "Doc" Squires was a  
quack old "yarb" doctor of decidedly  
limited education who flourished in  
New England a good many years ago.  
One day some one said to him:

"See here, Doc, have you any dip-  
loma?"

"Wal, no; I ain't got none on hand  
just now, but I'm goin' to dig some  
soon as the ground thaws out in the  
spring."—Lippincott's Magazine.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

is for babies and children  
who are thin and pale when  
they ought to be fat and  
ruddy; for men and women  
who are weak and delicate  
when they ought to be strong  
and hearty—for all who are  
not getting proper nourish-  
ment from their food.

Poor blood, thin body, open  
the door for disease. Scott's  
Emulsion bars the way.  
Makes the blood richer, pro-  
duces healthy flesh and above  
all provides nourishment.

Avoid these so-called  
wines, cordials and extracts  
of cod liver oil that are pre-  
pared for the taste only, con-  
tain none of the value of cod  
liver oil and which contain  
a large percentage of alcohol.

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the reliable cod liver oil pre-  
paration for over a quarter of  
a century.

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC PEOPLE ALL RIGHT

Proudly has the Canadian Pacific  
combination of railway and steam-  
ship travel dispelled all doubt of its  
good will toward Hawaii. A copy of  
a beautiful folder has been presented  
to the Advertiser, entitled: "Across  
Canada to Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand,  
and Australia (vignette of avenue of  
royal palms, Honolulu, is here placed)  
by the Canadian Pacific Railway and  
Canadian Australian S. S. Line."

This copy was accompanied by the  
following letter, in which the folder is  
generally described:

Honolulu, October 31, 1903.

Editor Advertiser: Referring to your  
issue of September 29th, in which, un-  
der the heading "Canadian Pacific  
Tourists Coming," you speak of the  
necessity for "testing the sincerity of  
disclaimers of Canadian Australian  
steamer officers of any discrimination  
against Honolulu in their advice to  
tourists," we beg leave to draw your  
attention to the enclosed publication  
issued by the Canadian Pacific Rail-  
way Co. and the Canadian Australian  
R. M. Steamship Line.

You will observe that six and one-  
half pages of this pamphlet, out of  
a total of twenty, and eleven illustra-  
tions out of a total of fifteen, are de-  
voted to a description of some of the  
attractions of these islands, and  
though no reference is made therein  
to "Snowy Slones" we believe you will  
agree that the advertisement is quite  
a good one, and that it bears no sign  
of any of that "discrimination" which  
the Promotion Committee and you be-  
lieve the Canadian Pacific Railway  
Company and the Canadian Australian  
R. M. Steamship Line have exercised.  
Yours faithfully,

THEO. H. DAVIES & CO., LTD.,  
F. M. Swanzy, Managing Director.

Besides the vignette mentioned in  
the title, the Hawaiian illustrations  
are as follows: "Coconut Grove—Old  
Plantation;" "Bullock Riding, Ha-  
waii;" "Kamehameha Statue, Hono-  
lulu;" "Coast at Onomea, Hawaii;"  
"Oahu Prison;" "Volcano of Kilauea;"  
"Native, With Surf Board;" "Execu-  
tive Building, Honolulu;" "Natives  
Making Poi;" and "Breadfruit."

As fair specimens the following ex-  
tracts are given from the reading mat-  
ter:

The acquisition of the Hawaiian Is-  
lands by the United States has opened  
to pleasure and health seeking tourists  
a delightful semi-tropical country of  
virgin beauty and unrivalled attrac-  
tiveness—a new world to Americans  
and Europeans in which the resources  
of modern civilization contribute ex-  
ternally to an easy and pleasurable ex-  
ploration. The climatic conditions  
render this lovely mid-ocean group of  
islands a charming resort at all seasons  
of the year, but especially during our  
winter months it offers an incompar-  
able retreat for the delicately consti-  
tuted.

From Vancouver, the western termi-  
nus of the Canadian Pacific Railway,  
the fine steamships of the Royal Mail  
Canadian Australian line, the Moana,  
Aorangi, and Mowera, sail for Hon-  
olulu, Hawaii, Suva, Fiji, Brisbane,  
Queensland and Sydney.

A voyage to the South Seas! A sail  
among the coral islands of the Pacific!  
Three weeks of life in the tropics! All  
that these thoughts suggest, all that  
tales of adventure and travel bring  
back to our minds, all that is implied  
in a visit to the most charming spots  
of earth—may now be realized, under  
circumstances of special comfort and  
convenience, by passengers via the  
Canadian Australian line of steamers  
between Vancouver and Sydney.

Eight days out from Vancouver finds  
the steamer in sight of Honolulu, the  
capital of Hawaii, a spot which has  
been fittingly designated "The Para-  
dise of the Pacific." Honolulu has a  
population of over 40,000, or over one-  
fourth that of the Hawaiian group.  
It is a well-kept city, abounding in  
cozy villas and pretty gardens, and  
its delightful environments serve to  
make a short stay one of the most  
pleasant experiences of a traveler's  
lifetime. Honolulu has a good electric  
street car system, water works and  
electric lights, etc.

Here one comes, for the first time,  
in contact with the native life of the  
Pacific, and whatever may be said  
of the good characteristics of other  
islanders, it may be safely assumed  
that the Hawaiians are at once the  
handsomest, brightest and happiest of  
all the children of these coral homes.  
They are a wonderfully interesting  
people, with a wonderful history. If,  
however, the tourist finds the people  
interesting, he will be equally charmed  
by the great beauty of their mid-  
ocean home. Nature has smiled upon  
it. Here perpetual summer reigns,  
and the fragrance of flowers never  
passes out of the balmy breezes that  
flow from the hills and valleys of this  
lovely land. These words may seem  
more poetical than truthful, but they  
are written advisedly. The official  
records of recent years show the max-  
imum temperature to have been 83  
deg. Fahr., and the minimum 58 deg.,  
an extreme variation of but 25 deg.  
The wealth of tropical vegetation, the  
abundance of fruit, the waving palms,  
the wide acres of sugar cane, the hap-  
py natives, and the sea breaking in  
long rolling waves over the coral reefs,  
backed by the volcanic hills—all these  
make up a picture that can never fade  
from memory, and combine to em-  
phasize the novelty and augment the  
charm of offering in Oahu. This is  
not only the tourists' paradise, but it  
is unquestionably one of the best spots  
in the world in which to seek health  
and recuperation. The steamer's  
stay at Honolulu varies according to  
the hour of arrival, but it is usually  
from daylight to three or four o'clock  
in the afternoon, and while she lies  
in the harbor the visitor who is con-  
tinuing the ocean voyage may choose  
many forms of diversion. He may  
ramble about the streets, buy curios  
and photos in the shops, look into the

A SORE THROAT may be quickly  
cured by applying a flannel bandage  
dampened with Chamberlain's Pain  
Balm. A lame back, a pain in the  
side or chest, should be treated in a  
similar manner. For sale by all deal-  
ers and druggists. Benson, Smith &  
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quarters, the latter being the prettiest  
part of the city, inspect the Parlia-  
ment buildings and palace once occu-  
pied by royalty, visit the Kamehame-  
ha Institute in the western part,  
whose site and buildings cost \$1,000,000,  
and the colleges, schools and museum,  
in which are many rare and valuable  
curios, and the city market near the  
wharf; or he may take any one of  
the following excursions, horses and  
carriages being easily obtainable at  
reasonable prices, and capital roads  
having been made to all the chief  
points of interest:

(Here follow three pages of direc-  
tions to visitors.)

## MOSQUITO CAMPAIGN

**Hawaii Work is Praised  
by Professor  
Howard.**

A meeting of the Mosquito Cam-  
paign Committee was held at the Board  
of Health office between 4 and 5 p. m.  
yesterday. Dr. Cooper, president of the  
Board of Health, presided as ex-officio  
chairman. Others present were P. M.  
Pond, P. R. Helm, D. L. Van Dine, W.  
A. Bryan and A. D. Larnach, chief of  
campaign.

Mr. Larnach reported a little over  
\$200 in monthly subscriptions and \$432  
in bank, which was considered satis-  
factory. He also submitted a number  
of suggestions for action. Among these  
was free oil to the indigent for treating  
water containers, also the furnishing of  
taps for water butts to remove the ob-  
jection of putting oil on the surface of  
water for household purposes. When  
water is drawn from below, the oil does  
not get into it.

Mr. Larnach was directed to give  
talks in the schools on Fridays, so that  
in Saturday cleaning up of domestic  
premises the youngsters would be in-  
fluenced to do good work for the cam-  
paign. It was left to his own judgment  
to treat with oil streams below where  
people cook water therefrom for house-  
hold purposes. He has told of where  
the water from springs ran over spaces  
of ground to make morasses where the  
pestiferous insect was bred.

It was voted to authorize Mr. Lar-  
nach to employ a collector of subscrip-  
tions for a moderate commission, as  
his time was deemed too valuable in the  
actual work to be expended in that de-  
tail.

Mr. Bryan narrated the particulars  
of some experiments he had made with  
salted water. Where more than 10  
per cent of salt water was introduced  
into rain water, the mosquito larvae  
died with a quickness proportioned to  
the quantity of salt. He had also ex-  
perimented with taro land water,  
finding that apparently there was some  
reactive property in taro which was  
bad for the health of the mosquito.

Mr. Van Dine referred to the pes-  
simism encountered at the outset of the  
movement, from the common belief  
that it was useless to combat the pest  
in Honolulu so long as neighboring rice  
and taro fields existed. It was of great  
importance that exhaustive experi-  
ments should be made to determine  
how far the rice and taro irrigation  
was a factor in mosquito propagation.  
Mr. Helm's suggestion that Mr. Lar-  
nach give press reporters such inter-  
esting facts of the campaign as might  
tend to promote the enthusiasm of the  
people was considered to be a good  
one.

Dr. Cooper suggested that Mr. Lar-  
nach preserve in writing notes of prac-  
tical bearing relative to discoveries he  
might make. The result would be a  
valuable book of information.

Mr. Van Dine believed the Board of  
Health ought to have at the end of the  
year material for a book that would be  
of great interest to mosquito-ridden  
countries spread, as they were, all over  
the world. He remarked with a refer-  
ence to his correspondence with Mr.  
Henshaw of Hilo that recent visitors  
to that town had brought back most  
encouraging accounts of the results of  
the campaign there. One said he had  
in comfort until late at night and  
slept without mosquito bars in the  
house at Hilo where he stayed. Mr.  
Van Dine read the following extracts  
from a letter written by L. O. How-  
ard, chief entomologist of the Depart-  
ment of Agriculture, Washington, to  
Jared G. Smith, director of the United  
States Agricultural Experiment Sta-  
tion here:

"I have received the circulars of the  
Board of Health and the press bulletin  
of the Department of Agriculture re-  
lating to mosquitoes. I am greatly in-  
terested in these documents. . . . I  
am glad to get them. I find no errors.  
It is especially interesting to note that  
your placards have to be printed in  
Japanese, Chinese, Hawaiian and Por-  
tuguese, as well as in English. I  
think I will have these shown at the  
forthcoming meeting of the American  
Public Health Association which will  
be held in Washington in a couple of  
weeks."

**Iroquois at Midway.**

The Iroquois arrived at Midway Isl-  
and yesterday after a voyage of four  
days and eighteen hours. The weather  
was pleasant all the way and the  
ship's company is well. Anchoring  
where she did before inside the lagoon,  
the Iroquois began unloading at once  
and will probably leave Midway for  
home this afternoon.

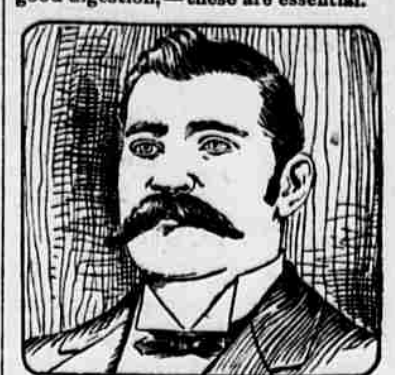
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## Can't Eat

You certainly don't want to eat if  
you are not hungry. But you must  
eat, and you must digest your food,  
too. If not, you will become weak,  
pale, thin. Good food, good appetite,  
good digestion,—these are essential.



Mr. Robert Venus, of Launceston, Tas-  
mania, sends us his photograph and says:  
"I suffered greatly from loss of appetite,  
indigestion, pains in the stomach, weakness,  
and nervousness. Several doctors tried in  
vain to give me relief. A friend then induced  
me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, for it had done  
him much good. The first bottle worked  
wonders for me. Soon my appetite came  
back, my indigestion was cured, and I was  
strong and hearty."

**AYER'S  
Sarsaparilla**

There are many imitations "Sarsaparillas."  
Be sure you get Ayer's.

Keep your bowels in good condition by using  
Ayer's Pills. They cure constipation, coated  
tongue, biliousness, sick headache.  
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## PRECINCTS TOO LARGE

There is talk among the politicians of  
dividing up the Seventh of the Fifth  
District into at least two precincts,  
owing to its present unwieldy size, es-  
pecially when the ballots are of unusual  
length. This was done in the Eighth  
Precinct of the Fourth District, but  
owing to there having been no new  
registration this year, all voting was  
done in the old Eighth Precinct.

That it will be necessary to divide the  
"Fighting Seventh," is evident from the  
fact that the length of the ballot on  
Tuesday caused the casting of ballots  
to drag, the voters being massed at  
the booth until the hour for closing the  
polls.

Next November the difficulties will  
be greater. Then an election will be  
held for Delegate to Congress, members  
of the legislature for 1905 and county  
officers. All these names will make a  
ballot of extraordinary length. It will  
be almost impossible under present cir-  
cumstances to vote the entire list of  
electors under the present registration  
with next year's registration list added.

## HOW MELVILLE MONSARRAT DIED

Details of the accidental shooting of  
young Melville Monsarrat were receiv-  
ed by mail yesterday. The young man  
was out duck hunting with a compan-  
ion near San Francisco on Saturday a  
week ago. Young Monsarrat's compan-  
ion tried to unload a shot gun. By a  
mistake the boy pulled the trigger,  
when a boat in which he was seated  
had unknown to him swung around,  
and the charge exploded. The shot  
struck young Monsarrat about the  
knee, mangle the leg in a terrible  
way. It was three hours before the  
injured youth could be given medical  
assistance. The physicians decided that  
amputation of the leg was necessary.  
The young man had become so weak-  
ened through loss of blood that he was  
unable to survive the shock. Funeral  
services were held at Belmont College  
where the young man had attended  
school. The former school mates of  
the dead youth sent floral tributes.  
The body was brought here in the  
steamer Sierra and will be buried this  
afternoon from St. Andrew's Cathed-  
ral.

**Public Spirited Japanese.**

A. D. Larnach, chief of the mosquito  
destruction campaign, had occasion to  
visit some Japanese business men re-  
garding the treatment of a certain  
pond. Ten or twelve of them, store-  
keepers in Hotel street, donated each  
a bottle of oil for the work.

## AMBROSE BIERCE WAS THE HOST

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